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For: **PREVENTION OF LOSS OF TIGHT CELL JUNCTIONS USING CARBOHYDRATE-CONTAINING COMPOSITIONS**

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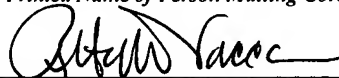
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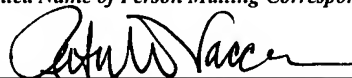
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